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In re application of: Calder et al.

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Application No.: 08/831,845

Examiner: Bullock Jr., L.

Filed: April 1, 1997

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
DISCOVERING AND ACTIVATING
SOFTWARE COMPONENTS

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

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1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____.
(Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
 - iii. ☐ Other _____.
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Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

	(Col. 1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(Col. 2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(Col. 3) Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	27	MINUS	27	= 0	x 18	0.00
INDEP.	4	MINUS	4	= 0	x 80	0.00
[] First presentation of multiple dependent claim					\$270	
Fee for Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)					\$710	710.00
TOTAL						710.00
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- ☐ a. Applicant hereby petitions for a extension of time.
- ☒ b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ c. Enclosed is our Check No. 4659 in the amount of \$710.00 to cover the RCE fee, any additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ d. The Director is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. SUN1P123)

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